

MONTGOMERY COUNTY FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE DRIVER/OPERATOR TRAINING PROGRAM

Practical Application Guide Sheet

Brush Truck - Pump and Roll

Driver Performance Competency: The driver candidate shall place in service 1-25' attack line with 40gpm flow from the tank, then use pump and roll tactics on a simulated brush fire.

1. Stop brush truck and apply proper braking system.	
2. Check hose bed for clearing, clear hose if needed.	
3. Start pump.	
3. Operate primer valve if necessary and ensure that tank to pump valve is open.	
4. Open proper valve on pump panel.	
5. Allow water to fill hose line.	
5. Calculate and throttle up to proper pressure.	
7. Check hose line to ensure charging.	
8. Quick check pump panel for proper performance.	
9. Re-evaluate scene for crew safety.	
10. Deploy nozzle person to front of brush truck.	
11. Place the brush truck in four wheel drive and proceed in a forward direction along the simulated fireline.	
12. Stop the brush truck when the nozzle operator moves out of line of sight.	
13. Proceed forward when nozzle operator returns in line of sight.	
14. Stop brush truck, apply proper braking system, throttle down pump pressure, and close attack line valve.	
15. Recognize need to refill water tank prior to returning to service.	